Fee Increases

Table 1. Summary of building permit fee increases based on construction value

Project Size	1999-2002 Fees	2003 Fees	Amount of Change
Base/Hourly	\$125	\$150	\$25
Minimum	\$190	\$300	\$110
\$50,000	\$1,170	\$1,525	\$355
\$100,000	\$1,920	\$2,525	\$605
\$250,000	\$3,420	\$3,950	\$530
\$500,000	\$5,795	\$6,200	\$405
\$750,000	\$8,045	\$8,325	\$280
\$1,000,000	\$10,170	\$10,325	\$155

Table 2. Summary of average increases for construction-related fees

<u>Fee Type</u>	Present Average <u>Bill</u>	Projected Average Bill in 2003	Last Fee Increase	Average Annual % Increase
Electrical Permits	\$177	\$238	1991	2.60%
Site DevlpmtPermits	\$125	\$150	1999	4.70%
Elevator Certification	\$192	\$238	1996	3.20%
Elevator Installation	\$80	\$100	1997	3.80%
Boiler Certification	\$33	\$50	1990	3.20%
Boiler Installation	\$206	\$308	1991	3.40%
Boiler/Steam Licensing	\$44	\$67	1997	7%
Furnace Installation	\$179	\$267	1990	3.10%
Refrigeration Licensing	\$54	\$81	1997	7.10%
Sign Permits	\$179	\$267	1990	3.10%